## **National Park Service**





Padre Island National Seashore

## Working with Texas

## By the Numbers

Almost every American city and town claims a little bit of the National Park Service. Communities invite us to help them. Together we build trails and playgrounds, return historic buildings to productive use, revitalize neighborhoods, expand affordable housing, protect watersheds, recognize and promote local history, and introduce the next generation to stewardship opportunities. When we combine our expertise and resources we can accomplish great things.

14 National Parks

**5,044,926** Visitors to National Parks

\$262,500,000 Economic Benefit from National Park Tourism

\$1,157,550,015 of Rehabilitation Projects Stimulated by Tax Incentives (since 1995)

**\$47,079,494** of Land & Water Conservation Fund Appropriated for Projects (since 1965)

\$45,924,219 in Historic Preservation Grants (since 1969)

73 Certified Local Governments

**118** Community Conservation and Recreation Projects (since 1987)

**8,800** Acres Transferred by Federal Lands to Parks for Local Parks & Recreation (since 1948)

127,719 Hours Donated by Volunteers

1 Wild & Scenic Rivers Managed by NPS

1 National Trails Managed by NPS

3,177 National Register of Historic Places Listings

**46** National Historic Landmarks

20 National Natural Landmarks

1 World Heritage Sites

1,106 Places Recorded by Heritage Documentation Programs

4,341,962 Objects in National Park Museum Collections

**3,727** Archeological Sites in National Parks

23 Threatened & Endangered Species in National Parks

**5** Teaching with Historic Places Lesson Plans

10 Discover Our Shared Heritage Travel Itineraries

These numbers are just a sample of the National Park Service's work. Figures are for the fiscal year that ended 9/30/2015.

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The National Park Service cares for special places saved by the American people so that all may experience our heritage.